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MICHIGAN BOARD OF VETERINARY MEDICINE DISCIPLINARY SUBCOMMITTEE OCTOBER 23, 2008 MEETING

APPROVED MINUTES

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976, PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Board of Veterinary Medicine Disciplinary Subcommittee met in regular session on October 23, 2008 at the Ottawa Building, 611 W. Ottawa, Upper Level Conference Center, Conference Room 1, Lansing, Michigan.

CALL TO ORDER

Harold Paulson, Acting Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 2:08 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Sandra McMahon-Pelton, L.V.T.

Michelle Kopcha, D.V.M. Lawrence Letsche, D.V.M.

Harold Paulson, Public Member, Acting Chairperson

Members Absent: Amanda Stitt, Public Member

Kim Beattie, Public Member

Staff Present: Brooke Parmalee, Secretary

Pamela Millben, Analyst, Health Regulatory Division Karen Carpenter, Analyst, Health Regulatory Division Lidia McGee, Analyst, Health Regulatory Division Jack Blumenkopf, Assistant Attorney General

Others Present: Henry Vaupel, D.V.M.

Edward Liebler, D.V.M. Christopher Rohwer, D.V.M.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION by Letsche, seconded by McMahon-Pelton, to approve the minutes of the August 28, 2008 meeting as presented.

MOTION PREVAILED

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION by Letsche, seconded by McMahon-Pelton, to approve the agenda with the following correction:

After Approval of Agenda add New Business A. DSC Master Resolution.

MOTION PREVAILED

NEW BUSINESS

A. DSC Master Resolution

MOTION by Letsche, seconded by McMahon-Pelton, to approve the DSC Master Resolution.

MOTION PREVAILED

REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS

A. Douglas Link, D.V.M. – Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law

MOTION by Letsche, seconded by McMahon-Pelton, to remove from the table the matter of Douglas Link, D.V.M.

MOTION PREVAILED

MOTION by Letsche, seconded by McMahon-Pelton, to accept the Disciplinary Subcommittee's Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law and place Respondent on probation for a period of six (6) months with the following terms and conditions, in the matter of Douglas Link, D.V.M.:

 Respondent shall complete ten (10) hours of continuing education (CE) to include one course in record-keeping and one course on controlled substance regulation. These courses shall be pre-approved by the Board chairperson or designee. Michigan Board of Veterinary Medicine Disciplinary Subcommittee Meeting Minutes October 23, 2008 Page 3

Additionally, Respondent shall be assessed a fine of \$500.00 payable within sixty (60) days of the effective date of the Order.

A roll call vote followed: Yeas – Letsche, Kopcha, McMahon-Pelton, Paulson

MOTION PREVAILED

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held December 11, 2008 at the Ottawa Building, 611 W. Ottawa, Conference Room 1, Upper Level Conference Center, Lansing, Michigan.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION by Letsche, seconded by Kopcha, to adjourn the meeting at 2:18 p.m.

Harold Paulson, Public Member,

Acting Chairperson

Date Minutes Approved

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Date Minutes Prepared